

BARNES & THORNBURG LLP
btlaw.com

Suite 4400
One North Wacker Drive
Chicago, Illinois 60606-2809
(312) 357-1313

Fax Number: (312) 759-5646

FAX COVER SHEET

	NAME	COMPANY NAME	TELECOPY NO.
TO:	Examiner Dave F.		571/273-7102

FROM: Mark A. Hagdorn/ct

DIRECT DIAL: 312-214-4808

E-MAIL:

DATE: July 26, 2006

TIME SENDING: _____

NUMBER OF PAGES (INCLUDING THIS COVER SHEET):

If you have difficulty receiving this Fax, please call Barnes & Thornburg at (800) 312-214-8823

Please give me a call if the attached is not sufficient. I can be reached at 312/214-4808.

Thank you.

CLIENT# 920262
MATTER# 906475

☐ Original to follow by mail
☐ Original will not follow by mail

CONFIDENTIALITY NOTICE: This message is for the exclusive use of the individual or entity to which it is addressed and is confidential. If you are not the addressee or an employee or agent of the addressee responsible for delivering it to the addressee, please do not read, use, disclose, copy or distribute this message and do not take any action in reliance upon it. If you have received this message in error, please notify us immediately by telephone (collect) to arrange for its return. We do not intend to waive any attorney-client or work product privilege by the transmission of this message.

Chicago Elkhart Fort Wayne Grand Rapids Indianapolis South Bend Washington, D.C.

#3/ formal
Drawing
8-9-06**BARNES & THORNBURG LLP**P.O. Box 2786
Chicago, Illinois 60690
(312) 357-1313
(312) 759-5646 Fax**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

<i>Group:</i>	3682	}
		}
<i>Confirmation No.:</i>	7455	}
		}
<i>Application No.:</i>	09/998,637	}
		}
<i>Invention:</i>	TWIST ACTION FRICTION DRIVE	}
		}
<i>Applicant:</i>	Michael George Pierse	}
		}
<i>Filed:</i>	11/30/2001	}
		}
<i>Attorney</i>		}
<i>Docket:</i>	920602-906475	}

SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGSCommissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant submits herewith four sheets of acceptable drawings (Figs. 1-4) for the above-identified application pursuant to Rules 1.173(b)(3) and 84. Figure 1 is amended and Figure 2-4 are as published in USPN 5,996,431.

The amendments in Figure 1 are directed to adding reference numerals for the driving head 10, control unit 15, tachometer 17, hydrostatic bearings 20, oil return passage 22 and the corrugated axially extensible tube 40. The changes further include a representation of the control unit 15.

Support for the amendments are at least found as follows:

driving head 10 is found at column 2, lines 18-20;

control unit 15 is found at column 2, lines 26-30;

tachometer 17 is found at column 2, lines 26-31;

hydrostatic bearings 20 is found at column 2, lines 23-26;

oil return passage 22 is found at column 2, lines 23-26; and

corrugated axially extensible tube 40 is found at column 2, lines 58-60.

Please charge any fees that may be due or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 12-0913, with reference to our matter number 920602-906475.

Respectfully submitted,

BARNES & THORNBURG LLP

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mark A. Hagdorn', is written over a horizontal line.

Mark A. Hagdorn

Registration No. 44,731